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THE POPE'S APPRECIATION OF A JOKE.—Popes as well as Protestants are not inappreciative of a mild joke. When the present pontiff was a cardinal, and legate at Brussels, the following incident occurred: He was one day writing in his study, when a house-painter, who was employed in painting the exterior of the legation, slid down a rope and looked at his Eminence. The Cardinal turned round, and the man slipped down the rope quickly, muttering, "What an ugly mug for a cardinal!" His Eminence started from his chair and went toward the door, determined to have the rude fellow discharged; but as he went past a mirror he looked at himself, and, confessing that his "mug" was ugly, smiled, and resumed his seat, continuing to write as if nothing had happened.—Harper's Magazine for September.

"A true American," says a cotemporary, "is too proud to beg, and too honest to steal." He gets things on tick.

Selecting Carpets.

French moquette and English brussels are the best carpets to wear and give the greatest satisfaction. Aubusson, Axminster and Turkey are equally good, but their price is of course high. Tapestry brussels is not as desirable as a good three-ply or an ingrain, because when the gay figures wear off there is nothing left but hemp, which is far worse than an all-wool ingrain of good quality. A poor, "slimpsy" carpet is not worth the making and putting down, except in rooms that are only kept for visitors and used on rare occasions; and even then a handsome Chinese matting is to be preferred. And in choosing the matting the best quality is the cheapest in the end, for one that costs 60 to 75 cents per yard is far more desirable than one that can be had for 35 or 40 cents. Of course the expense at first is higher but then we must consider the expense of making and putting down, and bear in mind that after two years' wear the more expensive carpeting is often of more value than the cheaper one when first laid upon the floor. Again, in purchasing a drugget or floor-cloth, three yards square, you may have to pay from $16 to $18 for the handsome quality, while a hempen one, stamped with quite as pretty a pattern, can be had for from $7 to $9. Now, do not take the cheap one. For a year it may look well, but by the next autumn it is worn and shabby, while the expensive one is as good as the day it was laid down, and it will outlast three of the cheap patterns. Sometimes we can come across bargains and buy carpets of excellent quality at a low price, but unless we are experienced shoppers it is never well to trust to our own judgment in such matters, and it rarely happens that we can purchase such articles below their real market value, except at auctions, and even then we are very likely to be taken in. It is a far better way to go to the carpet-rooms of some well-known dealer, and then make our selections according to the depth of the purse. The most durable carpets are closely woven and thick, yet soft and pliable; and in real English brussels the colors can be distinguished on the wrong side, but in the "tapestry" there is nothing but hemp. The beauty of a carpet is quite as important as its durability, and it should be of a kind that will not tire the eyes. Most of us purchase a carpet hoping that it will last several years, and desiring it to be appropriate for all seasons. Now, the gorgeous designs that fill the carpet-rooms and adorn the floors of the elegant houses may be very beautiful, but, unless we can change them frequently, one soon tires of such styles.—*Exchange.*

Slaze Kisses.

There was the Platonic kiss of Kellogg, who used to fling them like icicles with her finger-tips, and, as Sher Campbell once said, there were chilblains in them. Then there was the Presbyterian kiss of Ada Dyas, who used to plant it on Montague's left ear, or on the back of his neck, and always created an impression in the gallery that she had bit him; and the Lotta bubble, which always sounded like the pulling of a cork, and seemed to be a number of linked kisses effervescing; and the Corinthian kiss of Wainwright—a severe affair; somewhat motherly, and when dropped upon a stock actor always frightened him a little bit, as if he had pulled a New Testament out of his pocket instead of a pack of cards; and the Cary kiss—ah! the romantic Cary kiss, that never began anywhere and never ended—that ran down the back, and tingled in the arms and legs, and made the hair stand on end, and was accompanied with laughter whose echoes were undying; and the cavernous Soldene kiss, that opened its ponderous and marble jaws with a report like the bursting of an india-rubber balloon. Who shall formulate all these schools for us? Certainly not Abbott; for hers is the spiritual kiss, and we are not educated up to it.—*Nym Crinkle's Feuilleton.*

There are two classes of women who enjoy restaurant lunches. The one class includes that great number of people who are starved in boarding houses, or being shiftless housekeepers and a reckless set at best, starve themselves at home and therefore eat remorselessly at restaurants; and the other class includes faithful wives who are constantly on the rack at home between bad servants and critical husbands, and who, becoming sick of their own cookery and their own tables, enjoy an occasional lunch or dinner of "somebody else's cooking" at a restaurant.

A fool generally knows he is a fool, and so is often doleful when he thinks of it; but a damphool never knows it, and so is happy.

Very amiable and good-natured are those people who can have their own way in everything.

A New York judge recently disposed of 106 cases in 108 minutes.

THE mule who is tame in front is often wild behind.

The Towers of Silence.

From the midst of a grove of palms rise two circular towers, near which stands a large building looking not unlike some public institution in any well-to-do city in America, and which is, in truth, one of the temples which seem so necessary in every Indian landscape. The "towers of silence"—what does not the fancy picture when that name is heard for the first time? A religious retreat, where one wearied with the din and turmoil of the city below may enter and find peace and rest. Such a retreat as Taine must have reached in the Pyrenees when he felt that in such a spot and with such influences the "Initiation" must have been written. Or perhaps, it is a place of punishment, and persons caught in crime are brought here to wear out in silent misery the term of sentence, which will finish all life flickers feebly and hope dies. Away runs imagination, but a talkative "wallah," or, literally speaking, fellow who is our guide, soon brings back wandering fancy by the appalling announcement that the towers are, in truth, the Parsee cemetery or mortuary.

Directly a Parsee dies he is brought to the temple, and then after the other rites are performed the body is disrobed, anointed with sacred oils; after that is taken to the towers, which are about thirty feet in diameter and entirely open at the top; and then placed upon a iron grating for the vultures to come and devour the flesh. In every direction one can see the sun-side palms bending low with their burdens of vultures and kites waiting for new prey; the air abounds with their hungry cawing, while it is also laden with the sickening odor of decaying flesh. While a body is being placed in position the edge of the tower is filled with cawing, chattering spectators, hungry to make the first plunge upon the victim. With one accord they dash down out of sight, and one knows by the change from tumult to quiet that the Parsee interment is taking place. That which but a short time ago was a human being, with hopes, and fears and aspirations such as still animate us who gaze transfixed with horror, is being torn shred by shred and carried into the air, to be dropped and picked up, and quibbled over, or else to be consumed with genuine satisfaction. No sooner does a saved bird fly on lazy wing to some far-off tree top to sleep off the effects of his gluttony than a fresh one arrives upon the scene to carry on the vultures work. Others sweep down upon the living, and brush our very faces with their monstrous wings. Below, as stand some Parsees, who watch the circling birds with loving interest, and one English-speaking guide tells us that they frequently stand and watch them till they know their dead to have been consumed. As soon as the birds have picked all the flesh from the bones, they are dropped into a well at the bottom of the towers, where they are covered with quicklime and consumed. The tower is then flooded and deodorized, and so it is claimed, there is no odor in the air, but any one having the sense of smell unlimited feels that that boast is not founded upon truth.—*Bombay (India) Letter.*

Whistling to a Squirrel.

One afternoon, when out looking for game, I sat down on a pile of rails to rest. Pretty soon I discovered in an oak tree some twenty yards away a red squirrel stretched at full length on a limb taking a sun bath. Instead of raising my rifle and sending a ball through the little fellow (it's a mighty mean "sportsman" that endeavors to kill all he sees) I decided to give him a little pleasure if I could, so I commenced to whistle the air of that once-popular ditty, "I Love Thee, Sweet Norah O'Neil." In a twinkling the squirrel was up on his hind legs, his tail over his back, his head cocked on one side, listening to me; a moment of irresolution, and then he scampered down the trunk of the tree to the ground and started toward me; he came a few yards, stopped, sat up on end and listened again. I was careful not to move, and kept on whistling. After waiting a moment the little beauty came on, jumped up on the pile of rails, ran along within four feet of me, halted, went up on end again, made an umbrella of his tail, tipped his head to one side, looked at me with all the gravity of a Justice of the Peace at his first trial, and yet if ever a creature's eye beamed with pleasure his did.

I did not move, but after a little I abruptly changed the tune to the "Sweet By and By." Chut! Why, with the first note of the different tune away went the squirrel. I did not move, only as I shook with suppressed laughter, and as well as I could kept on whistling. In a minute or two back came the squirrel, going through all the cunning maneuvers of his first approach, and once more took a seat before me on the rails. I watched him, and actually thought he was trying to pucker up his mouth and whistle.

Once again I changed the tune, this time to "Yankee Doodle," and as before, with the first note of change, away scampered the squirrel. Unable to control my risibilities any longer, I laughed aloud, and after that I couldn't call my little friend to me.

I wonder how many of the so-called "true sportsmen" ever seek or think of any pleasure in connection with such beautiful little creatures save the savage and unmanly pleasure of taking away their lives!—*Forest and Stream.*

James Craig keeps a toll bridge in Virginia. During the recent hot weather, every one who stopped at the bridge to pay toll thoughtlessly observed, "Ain't it hot?" Craig soon discovered that his voice was getting feeble, for the exclamation being in the form of a question, courtesy required that an answer should be returned. He accordingly painted and hung up in plain view a sign which reads, "Yes, it is very hot." Now when a traveller pulls up at a bridge, Mr. Craig simply points at the sign with one hand while he takes the toll with the other.

The Lime Kiln Club.

"Several letters have come to me doorin' de pas' week axin' me to define my posishun on dis queshun of amusements," said Brudder Gardner, as the lamps were turned up. "Ebery once in a while dar' am a yell fur reform, an' sartin men an' women weep an' wail ober de gineral wickedness of de world. De church pitches into de theater, de prayer-meetin' whacks away at dancin', an' de Sunday school teacher tells de leetle boys dat de circus am nex' doah to perdishun. It has bin my opinyun fur de las' fifty y'ars dat dis was a wicked world. It was created fur a wicked world. De Lawd wanted it dat way, an' He made it to please Hisself. De Scripturs state dat wickedness shall abound in ebery co'ner of de land; dat men shall murder an' rob an' women go astray; dat chill'en shall deny deir parents an' brudder turn 'gin brudder. All sich fings am predicted an' to be 'spected an' looked fur, an' nobody has any grounds to howl an' weep. If dis war a good world we should have no need of preachers, deacons an' Sunday-school teachers. Preachers will tell you dat man am imperfect, an' dat de Lawd made him to go astray, an' yet day will turn aroun' an' wonder dat he am not goodness biled down.

"Deed, gem'len, but de only better world dan dis am heaben itself. You have got to hunt fur wickedness to fin' it. You have got to prejudge de case if you can make wickedness out of de jokes of a circus clown or de plot of de ordinary drama. If I had to praise God by findin' fault wid de world He made an' de people He put yere, I'm 'fraid it would be faint praise. De preacher who can't go to de theater without feelin' wicked had better stay away. If he wasn't on de hunt to fin' wickedness he wouldn't see it any mo' dan de rest of us. Me an' de ole woman kin go out an' dance Virginy reel fur fo' hours an' cum home wid clar consciences fur family prayers. We kin set down to keerds an' not forgit to be honest an' charitable an' forgivin'. We kin go to a circus an' come home an' fank God dat our lives have bin spar'd another day, an' dat we am still left to comfort de sick an' forgive de errin'. If gwine to sich places makes a preacher feel dat Satan has got a mortgage on him den he'd better stay home.

"No man airnest in de good cause wants to fight agin human natur'. Man am a social bein'. He likes to be plersed an' amoosed. Make a tombstone of him an he'll soon hate hisself. When I see a man who claims to be too good to watch a circus purceshun pass 'long the street I nebber work for him widout de cash in advance. When I fin' a man who am down on amoosements I doan' work fur him at all. A y'ar ago, when me an' de ole woman was joggin' ober to de circus we met a man who said we war gwine straight to Texas. He said he would sooner see his son in his coffin dan in a circus, and he scart de ole lady most to death. I kept track of dat tombstone, an' in less dan six months he left town widout payin' his gas bill, water tax, butcher or grocer, an' he am no exception in his class. Look out for solum-faced men. Bewar' of de men who weep ober de wickedness of a world made so by de Lawd fur reasons of His own. Have no truck wid men who nebber laff. A man widout faults am a man widout reason. A man widout wickedness am a man widout argyment."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Rapid Transit.

Uncle Mose owns several small shanties on Galveston avenue, which he rents out, but one of the tenants is rather slow in coming up with the rent, so Old Mose had to make him a pastoral visit. Just as he was coming away from the house, Old Mose met Jim Webster.

"Jim," said the old man, "which am de fastest trabbeler you ever heerd tell about?"

"Dey say dat de ray of light trabbles more den 200,000 miles a second, but I nebber timed it myself," replied Jim.

"Dar's a man in Galveston what can gib de ray ob light fifty yards start and beat it wust kind."

"G'way, ole man. 'Lyin' is ketchin, and I hain't been vaccinated since de wah."

"Hit am jess so as I tole yer. Gabe Snodgrass, what owes me four mumf's back rent, can outrabble de light."

"Did yer see him do it?"

"I went to de front doah, and jess as his wife opened de front doah, I seed Gabe slide out de back doah. 'Is Gabe at home?' says I. 'He's done gone to Houston,' says she. Hit am fifty miles to Houston, and he must hab made de trip while I was a-lookin' at him slide out de back doah. Jess fetch on yer ray ob light, and ef it don't hab to hump hisself to catch up wid Gabe Snodgrass when I comes for de back rent, den Ise a fool—dat's all."

Boston fashion and society writers are developing a ferocious and sanguinary disposition which is unaccountable. One of these scribes, lately discussing the question as to what shall be done with the modern girl, concludes with this appalling suggestion: "The fact is, there are too many girls. They ought to be drowned like superfluous kittens, and then those that are left would be appreciated, and not expected to set the river on fire."

Faithfulness and constancy mean something else besides doing what is easiest and pleasantest to ourselves. They mean renouncing whatever is opposed to the reliance others have in us—whatever would cause misery to those whom the courses of our lives has made dependent on us.

An old gentleman, finding a couple of his nieces fencing with broomsticks, said:—"Come, come, my dears, my dears, that sort of an accomplishment will not help you in getting husbands." "I know it, uncle," responded one of the girls, as she gave a lunge, "but it will help to keep our husbands in order when we have got 'em."

THE FAMILY PHYSICIAN.

COUGH DROPS.—Linseed oil, half cup; olive oil, half cup; molasses or honey, half pint; balsam of fir, half ounce; extract of licorice, one-fourth ounce; mix, simmer, and take from ten to twenty drops three times a day.

A CORRESPONDENT of the Michigan *Medical News* cites two instances which tend to show that door and window screens protect the inmates of houses provided with them from malaria. It is certainly a precaution worth trying by those compelled to live in malaria districts.—*Dr. Foote's Health Monthly.*

CURE FOR HICCOUGH.—A medical journal gives the following safe and simple means of relieving this troublesome disorder: "Inflate the lungs as fully as possible, and thus press firmly on the agitated diaphragm. In a few seconds the spasmodic action of the muscle will cease." This may be true of ordinary hiccough; but this symptom occurring in advanced cases of disease, accompanied with great prostration, is almost invariably an indication that death is very near.

SANITARY ERRORS.—1. To believe that 3 more hours children are at their studies the faster they learn. 2. To believe that the more a person eats the stronger and fatter he will become. 3. To believe that if exercise is good for one it should be taken at all hours and seasons, the more violent the better the result. 4. To imagine that the smallest room in the house is large enough to sleep in. 5. To eat without appetite. 6. To eat a hearty supper the last thing at night.

LEMON WATER.—A substitute for plain water, where doubts are entertained as to the purity of the water supply, or where wine disagrees: Peel the rind of one lemon very thin, the same as for jelly, put it into a jug with one lump of sugar, pour over it one quart and a half of boiling water, let it stand till cold, strain, and it is ready for use. More lemon peel may be used. It is a good plan to make it over night, and let it stand till morning. Great care should be used in peeling the rind.

HOW TO MANAGE A COUGH.—Dr. Thompson, a distinguished English physician, in a little work on colds and coughs, says: "If we would know how to manage a cough, we must learn how not to cough. The inclination to cough should at any rate be suppressed until the secretion, the existence of which lets up the cough, is within reach; a full inspiration should now be taken and the accumulated phlegm is then removed at a single effort; thus the mucus surfaces are not causelessly irritated, and a severe bronchial attack passes easily through its stages; whereas, if the membrane is irritated by violent and useless fits of coughing, it gets sore and relaxed. Again, by inhaling steam or sucking an ipecacuanha lozenge on first awakening, the dried secretion may be loosened or easily expelled and the usual painful fit of morning coughing prevented.

WARM SLEEPING ROOMS.—It is impossible to have too much pure air, but it is possible to have the air colder than feeble persons can breathe with comfort or with safety. For hardy persons there is no danger in cold air, provided they have plenty of bed covering and they keep their mouths closed. It is unwholesome for any one to sleep cold. One of the hardest things for feeble people to endure is getting into a cold bed to sleep. It draws so much on the already low vitality that before the bed is warmed its occupant is so thoroughly chilled that it is almost impossible to get warm again. In this way the system is unnecessarily taxed, and the general health reduced. When one must sleep in a cold room it would be better to wear flannel clothes (warmed before putting them on, and perhaps with woolen stockings for night use in exchange for the stockings worn all day), or to have the bed warmed before entering it. This can be done with a warming pan or by using a jug of hot water about between the sheets. Children rest more quietly in rooms well ventilated, though the air is quite cold during the night, than when they sleep in warmer and closer rooms, and I think it well to accustom their lungs to cold in this way. It is very unfortunate to make hot-house plants of our children. They should be dressed so thinly, both by night and by day, that they can be comfortable in rooms moderately cool.

FITZNOODLE was out hunting again last Sunday. He came back very tired, and without any game, but he said he had lots of fun, and was going again soon. "What did you shoot?" asked Nibsby. "I shoot a rapid—von of dings what gets avay so tam quick. I toss sitting on de ground ven I choose him have it, first mit der von barrel and den mit de oo'er von." "Tore him to pieces, didn't you?" "No, but by schimminy grashus, but you should have been there choost to see dot beast run."—*Galveston News.*

In August, 1822, a British soldier saved the life of the Princess Victoria, who was in danger of being killed by a runaway pony. He received a guinea and the thanks of the child's mother; but now, at the age of eighty-two, he comes out in a pamphlet complaining that he is obliged to live on his military pension of sixpence a day.

A young fellow in Rouen, La., borrowed an old trunk from his aunt some time ago, and when he got ready to return it the other day, he found it had a false bottom and $16,000 in a hidden recess. Now he, his aunt, and a junk dealer from whom the woman bought the trunk, have gone to law over the possession of the money.

The origin of the term "Quaker" is given by George Fox, the founder of the Friends. "A Justice of Derby," he says, "was the first to call us Quakers, because I bade him quake and tremble before the Lord."

No woman truthfully said she did not care whether she was pretty or not.

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TAX SALES.

Judge Hunt, of the Superior Court of San Francisco, has rendered a decision in a tax title land case that will be likely to make some large land owners, who have acquired title through a delinquent tax sale, have an ague. Judge Hunt holds that delinquent tax sales must be public and free from all collusion among buyers to prevent competition, for if there should be any such collusion or agreement among buyers of property at such sales, title to property so acquired is not worth the paper it is written on. A large amount of valuable real estate has been purchased at delinquent tax sales by land grabbers, who have banded together to prevent competition in bidding, thereby getting the property for the paltry sum due for taxes, and the expenses of the sale, and, after getting the Sheriff's deed, asking exorbitant prices for it and preventing their acquirement by men of small means who wish to make homes for their families. In many counties in this State there are doubtless thousands of acres of land that have been acquired in the manner condemned by Judge Hunt, and it might be of benefit to those who have lost their property through a tax sale, and by such combinations, to bring Judge Hunt's decision to bear in the matter of regaining their landed rights.

IMPORTANT DECISION.—Judge Lawrence, First Comptroller of the Treasury, has just rendered a decision in which he maintains that when a contract with the Government is sold by the contracting party, the contract itself is annulled, and that any person or party selling such contract runs the risk of obtaining no pay. This opinion is based on the ground that the original contractor in such an event does not perform the service, and the purchaser of the contract violates the existing law. If this decision holds good in postal matters what a ripping up there would be of postal contracts.

The small sailing boat Bath City has arrived at Falmouth, England, from New York. A week before she arrived out she lost her only compass overboard. The crew have not had dry clothes on during the entire voyage. The boat is very cranky. It will return to America with the same crew, after they have visited Hamburg.

The Republican State Central Committee recently passed a resolution, requesting Senator Miller to use his influence to secure the election of Marcus D. Boruck to the Secretaryship of the U. S. Senate. It will be indorsed by the great majority of the Republicans of this State.

Henry Daugherty, of Carson, is lost in the mountains near Lake Bigler, and it is feared an accident has happened to him, as he started out on a deer hunt on Friday of last week, and has not been seen since, although search has been made.

Cattlemen estimate that there is an annual loss to the State of Nevada of a hundred thousand dollars by the branding of cattle and horses. The hide is so badly cut up and scared that a loss of from fifty cents to a dollar apiece is incurred.

It is estimated that Captain Howgate, manager of the Signal Service funds, is a defaulter to the amount of $400,000. He defrauded the Government of this large sum by false vouchers.

C. C. Batterman, formerly a prominent Comstock superintendent, but recently Superintendent of the Head Centre mine, at Tombstone, Arizona, died at Tombstone on Tuesday, of heart disease.

At Rochester, N. Y., on Wednesday, Little Brown Jug paced three consecutive heats in 2:11¾—2:11¾—2:12½—the fastest three consecutive heats ever paced or trotted.

It is said the Pope has for sometime past had a strong presentiment of his approaching end.

At the mouth of Klamath river a salmon cannery has been commenced by Hume Brothers.

George W. Riggs, the eminenl Washington banker, died in that city on Wednesday.

Sixty Chinese students are en route from Hartford to San Francisco, homeward bound.

Three of the four boys who murdered a Chinaman in Stockton are members of a Sunday school.

The Democratic Mayor of Philadelphia has appointed four colored policemen. The world moves.

On Monday last the extensive oil works, at Berkley, of A. C. Dietz & Co., were destroyed by fire. Loss, $30,000.

On September 15th, the close season for ducks and quail expires.

Los Angeles comes to the front with an eight-foot cucumber.

On Wednesday, 1,000,000 francs were shipped from Paris to the United States.—The United States is again commencing to drain Europe of its surplus filthy lucre.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR MONO County, California.

G. B. Day, Plaintiff, vs. J. C. Kemp and J. L. Colman, Defendants. Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale and decree of foreclosure issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mono, on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1881, in the above entitled action wherein G. B. Day, the above named Plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of sale against J. C. Kemp & J. L. Colman, Defendants, on the 24th day of August, 1881, for the sum of One thousand four hundred and six 16-100 ($1,406 16) dollars, gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the 24th day of August, 1881, and also for the further sum of One hundred and seventy-two 85-100 ($172 85) dollars, costs, percentage and necessary disbursements, making a total sum of One thousand, five hundred and seventy-nine 11-100 ($1,579 11) dollars.

I am commanded to sell:

The following described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay said debt of Plaintiffs, together with costs and all accruing costs:

That certain lot, piece or parcel of land situated and more fully described as follows, to wit:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the said County of Mono, State of California, and in the town of Bodie, bounded and particularly described as follows: Commencing at a point on the east side of Main street where the northerly line of the premises now occupied by the said Kemp & Colman, and known as the "Occidental Hotel" intersects said Main street, and running thence southerly along the line of said Main street fifty-four (54) feet to the wash-house of one Yee Woo (a Chinaman); thence at right angles easterly sixty-five (65) feet to a point; thence at right angles northerly fifty-four (54) feet to a point; thence at right angles westerly sixty-five (65) feet to the place of beginning; together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Public Notice is hereby given that on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, A. D. 1881,

at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Court House, in the County of Mono, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy Plaintiff's judgment with interest thereon and costs, to the highest and best bidder for gold coin of the United States.

Dated Bridgeport, Aug. 25th, 1881.

JAMES SHOWERS, Sheriff,
au27-td By J. W. TOWLE, Under Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISsued out of the Superior Court, City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and to me directed and delivered, for a judgment rendered and entered in said Court, on the Sixth day of July A. D. 1881, in favor of the Bank of California and against the Mammoth Mining Company, for the sum of Twenty-six Thousand, Nine Hundred and Sixty-four 57-100 ($26,964 57-100) Dollars, damages, with interest thereon from date thereof at the rate of Seven per cent. per annum until paid, together with said plaintiff's costs, disbursements, accruing costs, amounting to the sum of $277 13-100, I have levied on and taken into execution the following property, to wit:

Being all that certain mining claim, or mining right, title, or property, situated in Lake Mining District, Mono county California, described as follows: Commencing at a Notice on Mammoth Hill, and running in a southerly direction in and along the vein or lode of 1500 feet to a similar notice posted at the south end of said claim or lode, and 300 feet on each side of said lode, said claim being known as the Mammoth Mine, together with all the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereto. Also a certain mill site, containing 5 acres of land, together with a quartz mill thereon, and the appurtenances and all improvements thereon.

Also lot, or parcel of land in Mammoth City, Mono county, California, commencing at a point on south side of Main street at northwest corner of Vincent Higgins' Blacksmith Shop, thence west along the line of said street, 14 feet; thence south at right angles with said street, 140 feet; thence east and parallel with said street, 14 feet; thence north 140 feet, to place of beginning.

Also all lots, pieces, or parcels of land situated in Mono county, California, described as follows:

That certain piece of land on east side of Lake Mary in the N. W. ¼ of Sec. 16, T. 4, S. R. 27 E. M. D. M., beginning at a point on Lake Mary, near the water's edge and running thence N. 24° 40' E. to tamarack tree, blazed and marked P C P No. 2, a distance of 1,50 chains; thence S 65° 40' E. 6.97 chains to post in the E line of the N W ¼ Sec of Sec 16 and 11.94 chains S from the ¼ Sec. corner common to Sec's 9 and 16; thence S 24° 40' W 3.50 chains to point on Lake Mary, near water's edge; thence N. 50° 0' W. 7.24 chains to point of beginning, containing 1 75-100 acres.

Also the N. W. ¼ of N. W. ¼ of Sec. 16, T. 4, S. R. 27 E., containing 40 acres.

Water rights: waters of Upper Summit Lake, Lake District, Mono county, in N. portion of Sec. 16, T. 4, S. R. 27 E. M. D. M.

Also claims a site for construction of a dam at the outlet of said Lake, to form a reservoir above the surface of said lake, in which waters of South Fork of Owens River are to be impounded to the depth of 25 feet;

Also claims sufficient of the waters of said South Fork of Owens River to fill said reservoir;

Also claims the marginal strip of land around the border of said Upper Summit Lake—about 35 acres, for milling and mining purposes;

Also the right to the use of 1,000 inches of the waters of the South Fork of Owens River in Lake District, Mono county, Cal., for milling and mining purposes.

Notice is hereby given that on

SATURDAY, THE 6TH DAY OF AUGUST, A. D. 1881,

at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Court House in the Town of Bridgeport, County of Mono, I will sell the right, title and interest of said Mammoth Mining Company in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, at Public Auction, for Cash in hand, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said execution and all costs.

Dated the 14th day of July, 1881.

JAMES SHOWERS, Sheriff,
jy16-tf By J. W. TOWLE, Under Sheriff.

The above Sale is hereby postponed until

FRIDAY, AUGUST 26, A. D. 1881,

at the same hour and place.

Bridgeport, Cal., July 30, 1881.

JAMES SHOWERS, Sheriff,
jy30-td By J. W. TOWLE, Under Sheriff.

The above Sale is hereby postponed until

MONDAY, AUGUST 29, A. D. 1881,

at the same hour and place

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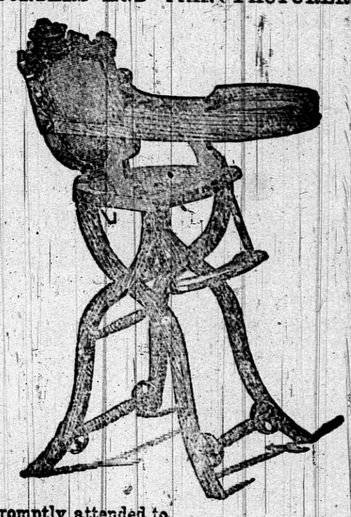

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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

MINING EXCITEMENT IN ANTELOPE VALLEY.—The staid and thrifty farmers of Antelope Valley are in the midst of a copper craze that promises to be of substantial benefit to that portion of Mono county. A short time ago William Rickey, father of Thomas and Henry Rickey, of Antelope, discovered a well defined ledge of copper ore in the range of mountains forming the eastern boundary of that lovely valley. Mr. Rickey made his locations, and taking some average specimens of the ore down to the valley, their exhibition causing a strong mining excitement to spring up among his farmer neighbors, and a large number of locations have been made, the lode being traceable a long distance. The ore smelts freely in the blacksmith's forge, the copper running out very copiously; and when only heated the metal exudes sufficiently to coat the face of the ore. The Rickeys and others have sent men and supplies to their respective locations, to start work. The ore may, as depth is attained, turn to silver-bearing and give the Antelopers productive silver mines. This new discovery is about five miles east of Coleville.

PERSONAL.—On Monday last David Hays left for Sonora, where his family is on a visit. He was accompanied by David Jeffreys and family and Miss Flora Sinclair to Baker's Station, where they will await the return of Mr. Hays and family, when the gentlemen will spend a few days in hunting. On Thursday Judge Briggs left for Jackson to attend the wedding of his daughter. Next week Lansing Huntoon and wife will remove from Bodie to Bridgeport. On Thursday A. F. Bryant and wife returned from San Francisco. To-morrow Frank F. Haradon and family leave for Boston, where he will engage in business.

The S. F. Bulletin thus drives the nail home:

"The recent toning up of certain Comstock shares made the announcemnt of three more assessments less discouraging. The old operators know how to smooth the way for unwelcome news."

The dupes, as usual, will rush in, enrich the "old operators," and swindle their creditors. The merchants, hotel and restaurant keepers, of Bodie, have suffered by their debtors dabbling in stocks. It is the same old story.

THE HAY CROP.—The hay crop of the Big Meadows is about all harvested. The crop is lighter than usual, but enough for the market, there being considerable of last year's crop on hand. The price of the commodity is also smaller than ever before in the history of this section—$10 for loose, and $15 for baled. Our farmers will gradually drift into the stock-raising business, and thus find a home market for their hay

WHO ARE THEY?—Two Bodieites, Alex. McLaughlin and John Lawler, have rushed into print, and wish the people to understand that they are "well-known" in Bodie." That may be, and not to their credit either! Perhaps they are favorably known amid the slums of Bodie. Their card in the Free Press, of the 20th, is evidence of their origin and surroundings.

HYMENIAL—Miss Carrie Havens, recently of Freehold, N. J.; and teacher during the last term of the Bridgeport Public School, was married on the 20th instant, to Francisco Butler, of Carson, Nev. Thus California and Nevada have admitted New Jersey into the Union. They have taken up their residence in this town.

THE PLACE.—Sam. Fales' Hot Springs Hotel has been crowded this week with visitors from Bridgeport and Bodie. To-morrow, being Sunday, we presume every fine team in town will be heading for Sam's, as it is a very pleasant drive.

STILL THEY GO.—People continue to leave Bodie by every conveyance. It can can lose five hundred more and be the gainer. The low fare of one dollar to Carson is a boom for Bodie.

LARGE CRANE.—Yesterday morning Edward Wedertze shot a crane which had been hovering over town for several days. It stood four feet high and measured five and a half feet from tip to tip.

ELECTED.—The Consolidated Pacific Co. re-elected its old officers. J. G. McClinton, President; F. E. Luty, Secretary; Martin Jones, Superintendent.

A. B. Stewart, Druggist, Bodie, has drugs, medicines, paints, oils, ammunition and cartridges.

BUSINESS CHANGES.—A. F. Bryant has resumed business, at his old stand, as successor of F. F. Haradon.

QUIET.—Both our Superior Judges are absent, and business at the Court House is consequently very quiet.

POSTPONED—The sale of the Mammoth mine and mill has been postponed till Monday next by the Sheriff.

THE WEATHER.—This week has been pleasant.

Judge M. P. Wiggin and wife have returned to Oakland from their bridal tour.

THE PRESIDENT.

At noon-to-day Dr. Bliss reported that there had been no marked change in the President's condition, but that he is gradually failing in strength. Pulse when taken at 12:20 P. M., 120; temperature, 99-6; respiration 22. Still later dispatches show no important changes. The members of the Cabinet are all at the Executive Mansion. Before this issue reaches most of our subscribers the President may have breathed his last.

Mining Transfers.

The following deeds have been recorded in the County Recorder's office:

Aug. 18.

F. W. Pike to Mary B. Pike, in trust, ten-one thousandths part of Nioma No. 3 mine, Homer District.

F. W. Pike to Frederick A. Pike, Jr., in trust, twenty-one thousandths part of Nioma No. 3 mine, Homer.

F. W. Pike to Charles Eliot Pike, in trust, 37½-one hundredths of Nioma No. 3 mine, Homer.

Aug. 20.

Charles R. Barry to Frederick Moore, Culbert placer claim, Homer.

Aug. 22.

Harry P. Midlicott to H. B. Carpenter, one-half of Geneva, one-sixth of Pioneer mine, on Green creek; one-half of Blackmore & Medlicott placer claim, Old Mono Diggings.

Aug. 23.

John Striker to Joseph Von Brussell, ⅛ Bodie mine, Homer.

Henry Melone to Henry Califf, one-sixth of Friday and one-sixth of adjoining mine, Homer; one-third May Allice, on Green creek.

Aug. 25.

John Barrett to James A. Dale, one-welfth of Inpependence mine, Tioga,

Transfers of Real Estate.

The following deeds have been recorded in the County Recorder's office:

Aug. 19.

Sarah A. Higgins to Richard A. Leale, s w portion of lot 22, block 26, Bodie, $50.

Richard A. Leale and Sarah A. Higgins part of lot 22, block 26, Bodie, $100; ¼ to John Pattie, ¼ to John Caldwell, ¼ to George W. Spoule.

Aug. 20.

Henry Tallon to Charles R. Barry, lot corner of B and 4th streets, Lundy, $100.

Charles R. Barry to Frederick Moore, w ½ lot 1, block D, Lundy, $100.

Aug. 22.

Bodie Bank to G. M. Kurtz lot on west side of Main street, adjoining Bank, Bodie, $5.

G. M. Kurtz to Frederick C. Siebe, lot on west side of Main street, and lot on west side of Main street, adjoining Bodie Bank, Bodie, $2,000.

Aug. 26.

Joseph Drinkwater to Hattie Crews, land in s 27, t 3, n r 26 e, $300.

Cornelius Sargessan to William H. Hildreth, lot 22, block 24, Bodie, $225.

Hattie Crews to Charles F. Hector, land in s 27, t 3, n r, 26 e, $250.

TELEGRAPHIC.—The Inyo Independent of Saturday last says that R. L. Peterson, of Bodie, is now in the valley soliciting aid for a new telegraph line to run from Lone Pine to Bodie. Five thousand dollars is the subsidy or rather payments wanted, the amount to be paid back by the company in business. That he will get this guaranteed subscription is almost assured.

Those interested in the Sweetwater mines are enthusiastic over their prospects and say they have "got it, sure."

General Kittrell has located in Eureka, Nevada.

Hay in Mason Valley is $8 a ton.

ELDORADO FAIR RACES.—The following entries have been made for the several races to take place September 7th to 10th, in Placerville:

No. 1—Running race, free to all: H. E. Barton, Lake Valley, enters b. m. Betsey McGuire; H. Vansickles, Genoa, Nev., s. g. Red Oak; Geo. Dinsdale, Sacramento, b. c. Jim Douglass; D. Kirkpatrick, Sacramento, s. g. Beriessa; W. L. Gilbert, Bodie, s. g. Joe Kennedy.

No. 2—Running race: D. Dennison, Galt, enters s. g. Rocket; A. Robinson, Placerville, b. s. General Jackson; Norris Bros., Plymouth, s. g. Rondo.

No. 3—Running race: H. E. Barton, Lake Valley, enters Belle Barton; A. C. Smith, Plymouth, s. g. Billy; W. Hammon, Placerville, s. g. Neptune; P. W. Smith, Bodie, s. m. Nellie O'Malley; W. L. Gilbert, Bodie, s. g. Joe Kennedy.

No. 4—Pacing race: James McHenry, Sacramento, s. g. Chandler; C. Luce, Sacramento, Daisy; C. D. Coward, Sacramento b. m. Carrie T.

No. 5—Running race: H. E. Barton, b. m. Betsey McGuire; Norris Bros., s. g. Rondo.

No. 6—Trotting race: D. Dennison, Galt, b. g. Harry Hopkins; T. B. Winston, Carson, Thomp Winston.

No. 7—Running race: A. Robinson, Placerville, b. s. Gen. Jackson; Norris Bros., b. f. Minnie Norris.

No. 8—Trotting race: C. Luce, Sacramento, b. m. Lady Low; M. Cassidy, Lincoln, d. b. Oak Leaf; C. D. Coward, Sacramento, b. g. Stranger.

The French Government has changed the name of the American Minister's residence from Place Debitche to Place des Etats Unis. As an average Yankee would pronounce it, the former name is not very pretty.

The British House of Lords has passed to a third reading a libel bill copied from the prevailing American idea.

BODIE ITEMS.

Wood is now selling for $9 and $10 per cord and there is plenty in the market.

It is reported that Hawthorne is to have a newspaper and that Dan Jones is to be its Commodore.

The tender for one of the railroad engines arrived in town Tuesday. There is a large quantity of machinery and iron ma- and iron material for the railroad now en route to Bodie.

Wm. M. Lent departed Wednesday for San Francisco. Mr. Lent is of the opinion that Bodie has not yet seen her best days, and that the stock quotations may at any time go higher than ever before. His opinions are valuable.

H. Z. Osborne, of the Free Press, and family went to Lake Tahoe on Wednesday.

The family of J. L. Greely arrived from the East on Wednesday.

HOMER ITEMS.

We gather the following from the Homer Index of Saturday last:

Captain Porter and F. N. Montrose are organizing a dancing school in Lundy.

A new powder magazine has been built below town, and it contains four tons of powder.

It is reporten that two miners running a small arastra in the old Mono diggings have struck some 400-dollar rock mare taking out $200 per day.

J. E. Baker, for shooting Bill McLaughlin, had an examination before Justice Medlicott on the 17th and the defendant was discharged.

Dan G. Collamer, well known in this district and in Bodie, left Lundy by way of Lake Canyon nearly two months ago, since which time nothing has been heard of him, and it is feared that he perished in the mountains.

The clean-up of Hearne's arastra last week was from 21 tons of Little Emma ore, which, according to assayer Soderling, of Bodie, yielded $43 14 per ton, the gold being 974 fine and worth $27 79½ per ounce. The tailings assayed only $4 08. This is certainly a fine showing.

HARPER'S MONTHLY.—The September number of this superb publication is more if possible, interesting than usual, its many excellent articles being profusely illustrated The contents are: Herrick's Poem, The Little Kings and Queens, The English at the Sea-side, To-Morrow at Ten, Summering among the Thousand Isles, Widow Lee's Son Will, The Girls' Sketching Camp An Old Fort and What became of It, On Star Island, The Framing and Hanging of Pictures, An Artist's Reminiscences, Annie, Wheat Fields of the Northwest, At Deacon Twombly's, The German Empire, Chances of War, and How one of them was Missed, Chamber of Science, A Laodicean, Easy Chair, Literary Record, Historical Record, Drawer. Harper & Brothers. New York, $4 per annum.

THE CALIFORNIAN.—The Californian for September is at hand, and its contents are up to the standard accorded this first-class monthly. Its contents are: At Cobweb & Crusty's, The Indian Problem, The Padre Romo, Unrest, The Hills of San Bernardino, In the Canyon, Don Carlos, '49 and '50, Be Happy, Happy Little Maid, The Wilds of the Darien, A Flower in a Letter, Schemes to Annex the Sandwich Islands, Close the University, Science and Industry, Art and Artists, Outcroppings. Published by The Californian Publishing Company, San Francisco; subscription, Four dollars per annum.

The Nevada State Fair will open at Reno October 10th.

Cattle are dying of "black-leg" in Calveras county.

BIRTHS.

In Bodie, August 20th, the wife of Thomas Muckle, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES

In Coleville, August 20th, by Rev. Warren Nims, Francisco Butler, of Carson, Nev., to Miss Carrie Havens, of Freehold, N. J.

San Francisco papers please copy.

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BITS OF INFORMATION.

SLAVERY was abolished in Mexico in 1825.

CHECKERS is the oldest game recorded in history, it being 4,000 years old.

THE longest bridge in this country spans the Ohio at Louisville. It is a few feet less than a mile in length. The cost was $2,016,819.

IT is probable that there were no playing cards before the year 1390. They were then invented, the story goes, to divert Charles IV., of France, who was fallen into a melancholy disposition.

PREVIOUS to 1831 nominations for State officers were made by members of the State Legislatures, while nominations for President and Vice President were made in caucuses of members of Congress.

MARY ANDERSON, the actress, was born in Sacramento, Cal., July 28, 1859. At an early age she went to Louisville, Ky., making that city her home. Her father, Charles Anderson, lost his life in the Confederate army.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-TWO varieties of postage stamps have been issued by the United States, thirty-two varieties by Great Britain, and sixty varieties by France. In this country 127 have been in use at one time.

IT is estimated that there are 460,000,000 Mohammedans in the world; 360,000,000 Buddhists, and 195,000,000 Roman Catholics. The Mohammedans are by at least 100,000,000 the most numerous sect in the world.

THE discovery of trichina in the hog was made about thirty-five years ago by a member of the Philadelphia Academy of Natural Sciences. The temperature of boiling water will kill trichinæ, as well as all other parasitic worms, so that by cooking meats well all danger is removed.

THE wooden tables on which the Greeks wrote their laws were fastened together at one end, and, as they were large but roughly hewn, they had much the appearance of the trunk of a tree cut into planks, and were therefore called "codex," which means stump of a tree or part of a trunk, and hence our term "code."

THOMAS PAINE, just before his death, requested to be interred in a Quaker burial ground, but, the Quakers refusing to permit this, his remains were taken to New Rochelle and buried on his farm. In 1819 William Cobbett, the English reformer, took his bones to England. A monument was erected to his memory in 1839 within a few feet of the spot where he was originally buried.

TOBIAS ROBSON was a carrier and innkeeper at Cambridge, Eng., where he built a handsome conduit, and settled "seven lays" of pasture ground toward its maintenance. "He kept a stable of forty good cattle, always ready and fit for traveling; but when a man came for a horse he was led into the stable, but was obliged to take the animal which stood nearest the door; so that every customer was served according to his chance, and every horse ridden with the same justice." Hence the phrase; "Hobson's Choice"—this or none.

AN English paper thus compares some of the words used in England and America pertaining to railway travel: In America the carriage is a "car," a baggage van a "baggage car," a station is a "depot," a booking office is a "ticket office," your portmanteau is a "valise," and your box a "trunk," the lines are described as the "track," the facing points are "switches," the driver is the "engineer," the stoker is the "fireman," and the guard is the "conductor." Pretty much the only word common in England and America is the word train; but the goods train is over there "freight train." When you leave the train to go to your hotel you take not a cab but a "hack," or if you are haunted by the demon of economy you go by the "horse car," but not by the "tramway."

Cause of Catarrh.

Dr. Cutter, of New York, believes that catarrh and throat diseases are due to weakness, caused by malnutrition from faulty respiratory or stomachic food, and that the ulcers, inflammation, etc., will disappear of themselves when the system is strong enough to regain its normal powers of action. He gives an instance, the case of a lady, who had throat disease, who had been living on starch and sugar, and had, therefore, not "force enough from her food to run the concern, so to speak." The moment the nerve centers were well fed by an abundant supply of nutritious food, the moisture returned to the mucous membrane. Dr. Cutter thinks that much of the now pronounced incurable catarrh might be cured by improved nutrition.

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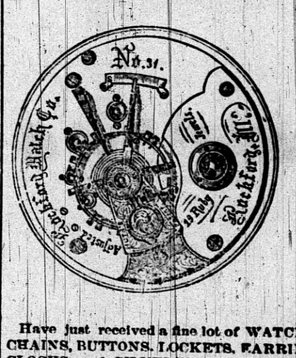

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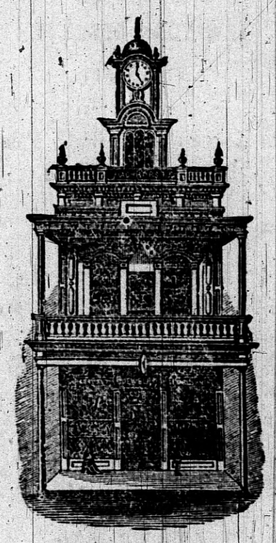

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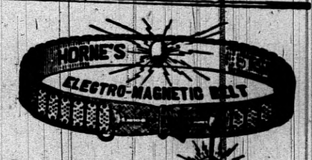

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To Cure Gapes.—The London Cottage Gardener says: "We have learned to jest at gapes by making free use of camphor.—We give to a chicken in a very bad case a pill the size of a small garden pea. As soon as we see symptoms of gapes we give the birds water to drink which is strongly impregnated with camphor, thus giving to the chickens that which was a favorite medicine with our grandmothers, 'camphor julep.' The treatment seems to explain itself. The gapes or gaping is caused by the presence of small red worms in the windpipe. No medicine can reach them unless it does so by vapor. An hour after the chicken has swallowed the pill it smells of camphor. Camphor is a strong vermifuge and the worms die."

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ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE qualified electors of Bridgeport School District, that an election will be held on the THIRTEENTH day of SEPTEMBER, 1881, at which will be submitted the question of voting a Tax to maintain a FREE SCHOOL.

It will be necessary to raise for this purpose the sum of $700, and the rate of taxation necessary to be levied will be 25 cents upon the $100 of taxable property in the District.

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ORDER OF ADJUDICATION ETC.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Mono, State of California.

In the matter of SILAS B. SMITH an Insolvent Debtor.

The matter of the petition of Hoffman & Co., Muser Bros., Mills, Leak & Co., Son Brothers, Marcus C. Hawley & Co., Sachs, Strassburger & Co., Payot, Upham & Co., praying that said Silas B. Smith may be adjudged an Insolvent Debtor, coming on regularly to be heard this Twenty-eighth (28th) day of July, 1881, and T. P. Ryan, Esq. appearing for said petitioners, and it further appearing to this Court that the said Silas B. Smith, after being duly and regularly served with a copy of the petition and order herein has filed his appearance and consent; and it further appearing to said Court that all the allegations contained in said petition are true, it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed that the said Silas B. Smith now is and on the 16th day of July, 1881, the date of the filing of the said petition, was an insolvent debtor within the true intent and meaning of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An Act for the relief of insolvent debtors, for the protection of creditors, and for the punishment of fraudulent debtors," Approved April the 16th, 1880: And it is further ordered that the said Silas B. Smith file in this Court within thirty days from the date hereof a schedule and inventory, in accordance with Sections 3 and 4 of said Act. It is further ordered that all the creditors of said Silas B. Smith, debtor as aforesaid, and each of them be and appear before the Honorable R. M. Briggs, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Mono, State aforesaid, in open Court at the Court room of Department One (1) thereof in the town of Bridgeport, County and State aforesaid, on the 5th day of September, 1881, at Eleven (11) o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered that this Order be published in the Bridgeport Chronicle-Union, a newspaper of general circulation published in said town of Bridgeport, County and State aforesaid as often as said paper is published before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered that in the meantime all proceedings against said insolvent debtor be stayed.

R. M. BRIGGS,
Judge of said Superior Court.

Dated Bridgeport, July 28th, 1881. jy30-td

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF WM. McBRIDE, DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned, Executrix of the Estate of Wm. McBride, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Executrix at McBride's Ranch, Benton, Mono county, State of California.

Dated August 9, 1881.

CLARA McBRIDE,
Executrix of the Estate of Wm. McBride, deceased. jy16-4w

Dissolution of Copartnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Copartnership heretofore existing between George C. Kinney and Elisha Gurney under the firm-name of Kinney & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due the late firm must be paid to Mr. Kinney, who will also pay all outstanding indebtedness of the concern. The business will be continued by Mr. Gurney in his own name.

Dated Bridgeport, Cal., July 10, 1881.

GEO. C. KINNEY.
E. GURNEY.

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CONSTABLE'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION, ISsued out of Justice Thomas Newman's Court, Bodie Township, County of Mono, State of California, duly attested May 6th, 1881, in the suit of J. B. Barber against Mrs. Kate Holland, whereby I am commanded to make the sum of Nine 50-100 ($9 50-100) Dollars, damages, in U. S. gold coin, and Twenty-nine 75-100 Dollars, in like gold coin, costs of suit, out of the property of the above named defendant, I have levied upon the following described real property belonging to the said defendant, to wit:

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SUMMONS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, IN AND FOR the County of Mono, State of California.

A. L. BANCROFT AND H. H. BANCROFT, partners under the firm name and style of A. L. BANCROFT & CO., Plaintiffs, vs. T. S. HARRIS AND FRED. ELLIOTT, partners under the firm name and style of HARRIS & ELLIOTT, GEORGE L. PORTER AND JAMES STUART, partners under the firm name and style of G. L. PORTER & CO., GEORGE GILLSON AND O. T. BARBER, partners under the firm name and style of GILLSON & BARBER, WILLIAM T. ELLIOTT, H. L. CHILDS AND GEORGE L. SPINNEY, and JAMES S. CAIN, A. F. BRYANT and N. AMBLER, assignees of the Estate of G. L. Porter & Co. for the benefit of Creditors, Defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court, in and for the said County of Mono, State of California, and the complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County.

P. W. BENNETT, Plaintiff's Attorney.

The People of the State of California send Greeting to T. S. Harris and Fred. Elliott, Partners under the firm name and style of Harris & Elliott, George L. Porter and James Stuart, partners under the firm name and style of G. L. Porter & Co., George Gillson and O. T. Barber, partners under the firm name and style of Gillson & Barber, William T. Elliott, H. L. Childs and George L. Spinney and James S. Cain, A. F. Bryant, and N. Ambler, assignees of the Estate of G. L. Porter & Co. for the benefit of Creditors, Defendants.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named Plaintiffs, in the Superior Court, in and for the said County of Mono, State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within this county; or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage described in the said complaint, and executed by the said T. S. Harris and Fred. Elliott on the Eighteenth day of January, 1879, as a guarantee for the faithful performance of an agreement made and entered into by and between the said T. S. Harris and Fred. Elliott and these plaintiffs and to secure the payment of any and all indebtedness that might accrue under the terms of said agreement for goods furnished and to be furnished by these plaintiffs to the said T. S. Harris and Fred. Elliott in accordance with the terms of said agreement that the premises conveyed by said Mortgage may be sold, and the proceeds applied to the payment of balance due on said Mortgage, due in accordance with the terms of said agreement and amounting to the sum of $2070 94-100; amount of $139 65-100 for taxes duly assessed on the premises mentioned in said Mortgage and paid by these plaintiffs and interest on $139 65-100 from March 22nd 1881, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum; of $220 00-100 Attorney's fees; interest from date of filing this complaint and of costs of suit; and in case such proceeds are not sufficient to pay the same, then to obtain an execution against said T. S. Harris and Fred. Elliott for the balance remaining due, and also that the said defendants and all persons claiming by, through or under them may be barred and foreclosed of all right title, claim, lien, equity of redemption and interest in and to said mortgaged premises, and for other and further relief, as will more fully appear by reference to the complaint on file herein.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said Plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said Complaint.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court, in and for the said [LS] County of Mono, State of California, this 30th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

BEN. H. MILLER, Clerk,
jy23-2m By A. C. McKINNON, Deputy Clerk.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between the undersigned, under the firm name of O'Neill & Huntoon, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, both parties retiring from the business.

E. J. O'Neill will pay all the outstanding debts.

His
JOHN X HUNTOON.
Mark.
E. J. O'NEILL.

Bridgeport, August 12th, 1881. au13-4w

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, IN AND FOR the County of Mono, State of California.

ADELIA NOONAN SHANNON, Plaintiff, vs JOHN SHANNON, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court, in and for the said County of Mono, State of California, and the Complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County.

SELDEN HEIZEL, Plaintiff's Attorney.

The People of the State of California send greeting to John Shannon, Defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named Plaintiff, in the Superior Court, in and for the said County of Mono, State of California, and to answer the Complaint filed therein, within ten days, exclusive of the day of service, after the service on you of this Summons, if served within this County; or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a Decree of this Court dissolving the Bonds of Matrimony now existing between you and this Plaintiff, and allowing Plaintiff to resume her maiden name of Adelia Noonan.

All of which will more fully appear on reference to the complaint on file herein, and to which you are hereby referred.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief therein demanded.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court, in and for the [L S] said County of Mono, State of California, this 19th day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one.

au20-2m BEN H. MILLER, Clerk,

Notice to Creditors of Insolvent.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNty of Mono, State of California.

In the matter of PATRICK KELIHER, an Insolvent Debtor.

Patrick Keliher having filed in this Court his petition, schedule, and inventory in Insolvency, by which it appears that he is an Insolvent Debtor, the said Patrick Keliher is hereby declared to be insolvent. The Sheriff of the said County of Mono is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of the said Patrick Keliher, debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account, and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee of his estate.

All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said Insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to him, or to any person, firm or corporation, or association for his use. The said Debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property, until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the Creditors of said Debtor be and appear before the Honorable R. M. Briggs, Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Mono, in open Court, at the Court Room of said Court, in the said County of Mono, on the 23d day of September, 1881, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said Debtor.

It is further ordered, that the order be published in the BRIDGEPORT CHRONICLE-UNION, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the said County of Mono, as often as the said paper is published, before the said day set for the meeting of Creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said Insolvent be stayed.

Dated August 18th, 1881.

R. M. BRIGGS,
Judge of the Superior Court.
T. P. RYAN, Attorney for Insolvent. au20-td

Notice to Creditors of Insolvents.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNty of Mono State of California.

In the matter of LOUIS CORBEIL and JAMES LOYNACHAN, doing business under the firm-name of Corbeil & Loynachan, Insolvent Debtors.

Louis Corbeil & Jas. Loynachan having filed in this Court their petition, schedules, and inventories in Insolvency, by which it appears that they are Insolvent Debtors the said Louis Corbeil & Jas. Loynachan are hereby declared to be insolvent. The Sheriff of the said County of Mono is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of the said Louis Corbeil and James Loynachan, Insolvent debtors, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all their deeds, vouchers, books of account, and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee of their estate. All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said Insolvents, or to deliver any property belonging to them, or to any person, firm, or corporation, or association for their use. The said Debtors are hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property, until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the Creditors of said Debtors be and appear before the Hon. R. M. Briggs, Judge of the Superior Court of the said County of Mono, in open Court, at the Court Room of said Court, in the said County of Mono, on the 23d day of September, 1881, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said Debtors.

It is further ordered, that the order be published in the BRIDGEPORT CHRONICLE-UNION, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the said County of Mono, as often as the said paper is published, before the said day set for the meeting of Creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against the said Insolvents be stayed.

Dated August 18th, 1881.

R. M. BRIGGS,
au20-td Judge of the Superior Court.

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